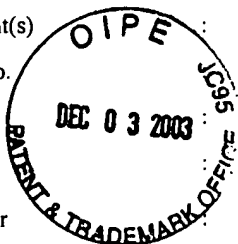


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Applicant(s) KITAMURA, Yoshio et al.
 Serial No. 09/630,872
 Filed August 2, 2000
 For DIGITAL BROADCAST RECEPTION APPARATUS AND
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X The fee has been calculated as shown below.

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Total claims	7	Minus	20	0*	\$18 (9)	= \$ 0
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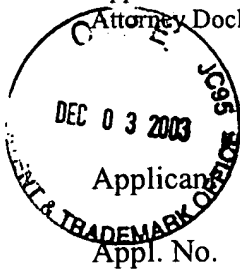
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In response to the Final Office Action of June 5, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows: